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# WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Pursell, Gary **Report No:** WIR-014346 Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 09-May-2010

City: Oakland, CA 94607

**OSM Arrival Time:** 700 **Project Name:** SAS Superstructure **OSM Departure Time:** 1900 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

**CWI Name: CWI Present:** Yes No Li Yang **Inspected CWI report:** Yes N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No No N/A Yes N/A **Weld Procedures Followed:** N/A **Electrode to specification:** No Yes No Yes N/A N/A **Qualified Welders:** No **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A Yes No N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS: Delayed / Cancelled:** Yes No N/A

34-0006 **Bridge No: Component: OBG Segment** 

### **Summary of Items Observed:**

On this date Caltrans OSM Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector, Dan Hernandez was present during the times noted above to observe the fit up, welding and related activities associated with the fabrication of the San Francisco Oakland Bay Self Anchored Suspension Bridge at Zhenhua Port Machinery Company (ZPMC) facility on Changxing Island.

**OBG Trial Assembly Yard** 

Segment 8AW/8BW

This QA Inspector observed Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) in progress of a Complete Joint Penetration (CJP) weld joint. The Weld joint is designated as DP644-001-021. The welder is identified as #045246 and was observed welding in the 3G (vertical) position using approved Welding Procedure Specification WPS-B-T-3213-B-U3b.

This QA Inspector observed Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) in progress of a Complete Joint Penetration (CJP) weld joint. The Weld joint is designated as SP129-001-045. The welder is identified as #067588 and was observed welding in the 3G (vertical) position using approved Welding Procedure Specification WPS-B-P-2213-B-U2a-1.

This QA Inspector observed Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) in progress of a Complete Joint Penetration (CJP) weld joint. The Weld joint is designated as SP156-001-045. The welder is identified as #067942 and was

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observed welding in the 4G (overhead) position using approved Welding Procedure Specification WPS-B-P-2214-B-U2a-1.

This QA Inspector observed Fluxed Cored Arc Welding (FCAW) in progress of a fillet weld joint. The Weld joint is designated as SP765-001-011. The welder is identified as #066734 and was observed welding in the 2F (horizontal) position using approved Welding Procedure Specification WPS-B-T-2134.

This QA Inspector observed Fluxed Cored Arc Welding (FCAW) in progress of a Complete Joint Penetration (CJP) weld joint. The Weld joint is designated as SP445-001-057. The welder is identified as #045227 and was observed welding in the 4G (overhead) position using approved Welding Procedure Specification WPS-B-T-2233-B-U2-F.

This QA Inspector observed back gouging of CJP root pass on Bottom Plate WT stiffener web splices.

Segment 7DW

This QA Inspector observed Fluxed Cored Arc Welding (FCAW) in progress of a fillet weld joint. The Weld joint is designated as SEG039-047. The welder is identified as #045196 and was observed welding in the 2F (horizontal) position using approved Welding Procedure Specification WPS-B-P-2112-FCM-1.

Segment 7CW

This QA Inspector observed Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) in progress of a fillet weld joint. The Weld joint is designated as SEG037B-030. The welder is identified as #037996 and was observed welding in the 2F (horizontal) position using approved Welding Procedure Specification WPS-B-P-2112-FCM-1.

ZPMC Quality Control (QC) Inspector is identified as Cia Xiao Feng. QA Inspector observed QC Inspector verify welding parameters. The welding variables recorded by QC appeared to comply with the Applicable WPS.

Unless otherwise noted, all work observed on this date appeared to generally comply with applicable contract documents.

### **Summary of Conversations:**

No relevant conversations.

#### **Comments**

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Eric Tsang, 150-0042-2372, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

Inspected By:	Hernandez,Dan	Quality Assurance Inspector
Reviewed By:	Carreon, Albert	QA Reviewer